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April 26, 2007

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RE: Application for Permit No. 71-10897

Dear Applicants:

The Department is continuing to process your application as referenced above. A legal notice of the application has been prepared for publication in the **Challis Messenger** on **5/3 & 5/10/07**. Submittal of protests to the application will be allowed for a period ending ten days after the second publication. (**May 21, 2007**)

If an application is protested you will be sent a copy of the protest(s). All protests must be resolved before the application can be considered for approval. If the protest(s) cannot be resolved voluntarily, the Department will conduct a conference and/or hearing on the matter.

If an application is not protested, it will be forwarded to our State Office in Boise for final processing. The State Office will notify you of any action taken on the application and will send you a copy of the permit if approved. A typical processing time for an un-protested application is about eight weeks.

Please feel free to contact this office if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Mary A. Baldwin
Administrative Assistant I